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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION Having this day qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of Sally White Osteen of Bertie County, NC this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of May 2017 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This the 20th day February, 2017 Ann Rue, Administratrix Estate of Sally White Osteen 1334 Wakelon Rd Colerain, NC 27924 03/01, 03/08, 03/15, 03/22

LEGAL NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA, BERTIE COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE OFFICE OF THE CLERK, SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS FILE NUMBER 16 SP 48

ANCILLARY GUARDIAN OF KATHERINE MORRIS, JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES OF TIDEWATER, INC., Petitioner v. CRYSTAL THOMPSON, JUNE HARRELL DEBORAH BLACKFORD Respondents/Heirs NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION. Now comes the Petitioner and gives Notice to Respondents: A Special Proceedings Petition has been filed seeking to sell property you may have an interest in has been filed against you in the Bertie County Clerk of Court, Special Proceedings, Superior Court Division, File No: 16 SP 48, by the Petitioner listed above in the captioned case file for Authority to Sell Real Property. The nature of the relief sought is to allow petitioner to sell real property for the benefit of the ward, Katherine Morris. You are required to make a defense to such pleading within Forty (40) Days of the date this Notice is published, and upon your failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief sought. This February 27, 2017. Signed Paul Faison S. Winborne, Attorney for Petitioner 03/15, 03/22, 03/29

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION Having this day qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of James Henry Brooks of Bertie County, NC this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before the 6th day of June 2017 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This the 24th day February, 2017 Karen Brooks, Administratrix CTA Estate of James Henry Brooks 3024 Wakelon Rd Colerain, NC 27924 03/08, 03/15, 03/22, 03/29

LEGAL NOTICE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA BERTIE COUNTY IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION BEFORE THE CLERK 17-E-50 EXECUTRIX NOTICE

The person listed below, having qualified as Executrix of the Estate of Shirley Mae Jones, late of Bertie County, North Carolina, hereby notify all persons having claims against the Estate of Shirley Mae Jones to present them to the Executrix as listed below on or before the 21st day of June, 2017, or this Notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the estate or in possession of any property of the estate will please make immediate payment or delivery to the Executrix. This the 16th day of March, 2017 Debra Caryl McGanty, Executrix Estate of Shirley Mae Jones 2113 Blossom Hill Court Virginia Beach, VA 23457 RESIDENT PROCESS AGENT: Ernest R. Carter, Jr. JONES & CARTER, P.A. Attorneys at Law 304 W. Sunset St., PO Box 986 Ahoskie, NC 27910 03/22, 03/29, 04/05, 04/12

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION Having this day qualified as Executrix of the Estate of Hunter Wayland Spruill of Bertie County, NC this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of May 2017 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This the 20th day February, 2017 Nancy Gilliam Spruill, Executrix Estate of Hunter Wayland Spruill 1001 Powell Avenue Windsor, NC 27983 03/01, 03/08, 03/15, 03/22

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION Having this day qualified as Executor of the Estate of Odell Vinson of Bertie County, NC this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of June 2017 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This the 10th day March, 2017. Samuel V. Marshall, Executor Estate of Odell Vinson 105 Taylor Park Lane Colerain, NC 27924 03/22, 03/29, 04/05, 04/12

Legal Notices

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY Pursuant to an order of sale entered by the Clerk of Superior Court of Bertie County in a special proceeding entitled S. L. Davidson, individually and as Administrator of the Estate of Hilda Faye Davidson, Petitioner vs. Diane Davidson, et al., Respondents, File No. 17-SP-5, the undersigned Commissioner will on Tuesday, April 4, 2017, at the hour of 12:00 o'clock, Noon, at the Courthouse door of Bertie County on Dundee Street in the Town of Windsor, North Carolina, offer at public sale to the highest bidder for cash those certain lots or parcels of land in Bertie County, North Carolina, which is described as follows: Lot 1: That certain lot or parcel of land in Roxobel township, Bertie County North Carolina, situate on the North side of S.R. 1208, and being a part of the Vauda H. Parker land and being more particularly described on survey of L.T. Livermon, Jr., Surveyor, dated June 16, 1977, containing 1.2 acres by plainmeter as follows: BEGINNING at a point in the northern edge of S.R. 1208, which said point is located as follows: BEGINNING at a culvert situate approximately 5 miles in an easterly direction from S.R. 1204 and running thence along said S.R. 1208 a westerly direction 23.10 feet to a point and thence 30 feet in a northerly direction to said beginning point at the edge of S.R. 1208 and running thence along 1208, North 89 degrees 48 minutes West 100 feet, North 84 degrees 16 minutes West 165 feet to a stake, a corner; thence North 12 degrees 34 minutes East 237.69 feet to a corner; thence North 79 degrees 14 minutes East 198.35 feet to a corner and South 4 degrees 45 minutes East 212.50 feet to a corner, the point of beginning. Lot 2: The Vauda Parker residence in Roxobel Township, Bertie County, North Carolina, situate on the North side of State Road 1208, containing 0.84 acres described on survey by Linwood L. Rawls, dates July 17, 1978, as follows: BEGINNING at a point in the northern edge of the road right of way, corner for Bailey N. Parker, et al, which point is located 288.1 feet in a westerly direction along the northerly edge of S.R. 1208 from an x pipe; thence from the beginning North 82 degrees 17 minutes West 142 feet along the edge of the road to a corner; thence North 7 degrees 43 minutes East 237.65 feet to a c.m.; thence South 82 degrees 27 minutes East 167.32 feet to a c.m.; thence South 13 degrees 50 minutes West 237.65 feet to the point and place of beginning. This sale will be made subject to subsequent year's property taxes and special assessments, restrictions, and easements of record, if any. The above-described lots shall be offered for sale as a whole and also for sale as separate tracts. The property shall be sold according to the method that has produced the highest price. The property to be offered pursuant to this notice of sale is being offered for sale, transfer and conveyance "AS IS, WHERE IS." No representation of warranty relating to the title or any physical environmental, health or safety conditions existing in, on, at or relating to the property being offered for sale is made, and any and all responsibilities or liabilities arising out of or in any way relating to any such condition expressly are disclaimed. A five percent (5%) cash deposit with a minimum deposit of \$750.00 shall be required of the successful bidder or bidders to guarantee compliance. The deposit shall be held until the sale is consummated or an upset bid is filed and a deposit made with the Clerk of Superior Court within the ten-day upset bid period. Each properly filed bid will be held open ten days for further upset bids. Sale shall be subject to confirmation by the Court. This 9th day of March, 2017. M. Braxton Gilliam III, Commissioner GILLIAM AND GILLAM ATTORNEYS, P.A. Post Office Box 547 Windsor, NC 27983 Posted at Courthouse door March 9, 2017. 03/15, 03/22

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE 16 SP 50 Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust made by James J. Conner and Eleanor P. Conner, (Eleanor P. Conner, deceased) (James J. Conner, deceased) (Heirs of James J. Conner: Marty Wayne Conner and Diwayne Conner) to Dennis F. Hardiman, Trustee(s), dated the 30th day of July, 2009, and recorded in Book 0895, Page 0446, in Bertie County Registry, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the note thereby secured by the said Deed of Trust and the undersigned, Substitute Trustee Services, Inc. having been substituted as Trustee in said Deed of Trust by an instrument duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Bertie County, North Carolina and the holder of the note evidencing said indebtedness having directed that the Deed of Trust be foreclosed, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at the courthouse door in the City of Windsor, Bertie County, North Carolina, or the customary location designated for foreclosure sales, at 11:30 AM on April 6, 2017 and will sell to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate situated in the County of Bertie, North Carolina, and being more particularly described as follows: The land referred to herein below is situated in the County of Bertie, State of North Carolina in Deed Book 606 at Page 140 and is described as follows: That certain lot or parcel of land which is situated in Windsor Township, Bertie County, North Carolina, and is more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of the lot which is designated as Lot No. 4 on a map of The J. Mike Thomas land prepared by J.B. Parker, Registered Land Surveyor, dated the 21st day of September, 1975, a copy of which is attached thereto and which corner is North 79 deg. 30' East 160 feet along the southerly edge of the right-of-way for N.C. Secondary Road No. 1257 from the Northeast corner of the lot which is designated Lot No. 3 on the aforesaid map of the J. Mike Thomas Land, which Lot No. 3 was conveyed by J.M. Thomas and Mary Castellow Thomas, his wife, to William Talmadge Dunning by Deed dated April 9, 1976, and of record in Book 596, Page 261, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Bertie County; thence from said point of beginning North 76 deg. East 173 feet along the southerly edge of the right-of-way for N.C. Secondary Road No. 1257; thence South 12 deg. 30' East 122 feet to a point on the line of the Lands of Clara M. Gatling; thence South 76 deg. West 173 feet along the line of the lands of Clara M. Gatling to the southeast corner of the lot designated as Lot No. 4 on the map attached thereto; and thence North 12 deg. 30' West 122 feet to the point of beginning, containing

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Super Crossword

45-DEGREE DROP

ACROSS 1 Arrange in steps 8 Nova - (Halifax native) 15 Suspect's excuse 20 Sailor lurer 21 Texas city near El Paso 22 Tyke's hauler 23 Totally dumb 24 With 41- and 60-Across, question whose answer is hidden in this puzzle 26 Primatologist Fossey 27 Mister 29 Ending for Nepal 30 Dangerous African fly 31 Baseball exec Bud 33 Kind of navel 35 Gallivant 38 Drinking site 39 - Paulo 41 See 24-Across 45 Tanning lotion spec 48 Kind of navel 50 Drooling hounds 51 - Stanley Gardner 53 Grassland 54 Former Saturn SUV 56 Roliaids, e.g. 60 See 24-Across 65 Gossipy Barrett 66 Low opera voices 67 Debt slip 68 Trompe - (visual illusion) 71 The Andes, e.g.: Abbr. 72 Flamboyant flamenco entertainer 73 Armada ship 75 Heat's city 77 Resistance unit 78 Not active 80 Oarier and Unser 81 Lung-related prefix 83 First step of progress 85 With 101- and 123-Across, how to find the hidden answer 89 Singer Flack 92 Camping gear retailer 93 OR figures 94 Statistician Silver 95 "The Barber of Seville" composer 98 Desert plants 100 The, to Henri 101 See 85-Across 106 Turn - dime 108 Romania's basic currency unit 109 Makes mad 110 Spanish hero of yore 112 Fur king John Jacob - follows it 119 With 127-Down, China's -tung 120 - tac-toe 122 "You bet, amigo!" 123 See 85-Across 128 Detectives 130 Hollywood's Eastwood 131 - Bishop, California 132 National dish of Korea 133 Boundary bushes 134 University life 135 Response to news you already knew about DOWN 1 Iris relatives, for short 2 TV's "O'Donnell" 3 Popular font 4 Comics "menace" 5 Ring legend 6 Wallet bills 7 Kiddie-song letters 8 180 degrees from NNE 9 Joint beneficiary 10 Singer Ric of the Cars 11 Carry along 12 Roth - 13 Upper limb 14 -TURN 15 Dazzles 16 Pathetic 17 "It's enough to live on" 18 Potted tree 19 Buries 25 Actor Seagal 28 Indonesia's basic currency unit 32 Moo goo - pan 34 - kwon do 35 Sharp rival 36 "Fifth qtrs." 37 Look on one's face 40 Sole male offspring 42 Cain and - 43 Sitcom cousin 44 Old emperor 45 Vojvodina native 46 Direct a sermon at 47 Seemingly spontaneous public assembly 49 Snare 52 "Frozen" heroine 54 Cello's ancestor 55 Howl in grief 57 Public 58 Private 59 The, to Hans 61 Actress Petty 62 Cow catcher 63 "You win" 64 Sine qua - 69 Paint applied thickly 70 Ding-a- - 73 U. senior's test 74 K-12 76 Time on end 77 Paddle's kin 79 Slate clearer 82 Bullring cries 84 Road's shoulder 86 Wet blanket 87 "Curse!" 88 Kin of Ltd. 90 Get rancid 91 Jeans go-with 96 Social finish? 97 Denials 98 Ozone-depleting compound, for short 99 - bad way 101 1985 Chevy Chase film 102 Fix, as a shoe part 103 Beat at eBay 104 Federation 105 God, in the Hebrew Bible 107 In itself 111 Spine parts 113 Church gift 114 Actor Milo 115 Step part 117 - Kong 118 Kin of -trix 119 Temperate 121 Ad award 124 She-bear, in Spanish 125 Apple buy 126 Virroid stuff 127 See 119-Across 129 British record co.

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